



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration
Rockville MD 20857

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Mr. Carl D. D'Ruiz, MPH
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Dear Mr. D'Ruiz;

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to approve an Addition of Two New UV-A Active Ingredients for Sunscreen Drug Products for Over-the-Counter Human Use was received by this office on 09/06/00. It was assigned docket number 78N-0038/CP13 and it was filed on 09/06/00. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

Jennie C. Butler
Dockets Management Branch

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